BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2001-129-C - ORDER NO. 2002-86

FEBRUARY 6, 2002

IN RE: Application of West End Communications, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate as a Reseller of Interexchange Telecommunications Services within the State of South Carolina.)))	ORDER APPROVING WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION
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This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission") on the request of West End Communications, Inc. ("West End" or the "Applicant") to withdraw its Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a reseller of interexchange telecommunications services in the State of South Carolina. By letter dated January 25, 2002, counsel for West End informed the Commission that the Company wishes to withdraw its application for authority to provide resold telecommunications services in South Carolina.

Upon consideration of this matter, the Commission concludes that the request of West End to withdraw its Application should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The request of West End to withdraw its Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a reseller of interexchange telecommunications services in South Carolina is granted and said docket is closed.

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

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